



RULE-MAKING ORDER

CR-103P (May 2009)
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

Agency: Washington State Department of Agriculture

Permanent Rule Only

Effective date of rule:

Permanent Rules

☒ 31 days after filing.

☐ Other (specify) _____ (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

☐ Yes

☒ No

If Yes, explain:

Purpose:

During the 2010 legislative session, the ability to provide self-inspection for transactions of twenty five head or less of cattle was removed from Chapter 16.57 RCW effective June 10, 2010. In addition, a \$25.00 fee was established for the issuance of replacement copies of brand inspection documents. The department proposed amendments to WAC 16-610 to conform to recent statutory amendments and to define processes to administer these changes. Also, housekeeping amendments were proposed to bring the rules up-to-date and fine tune current inspection practices to include: the establishment of renewal training for certified veterinarians; and an adjustment of the cattle inspection fee structure for out-of-state brands not recorded within Washington.

Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed:

Amended: 16-610-016, 16-610-018, 16-610-020, 16-610-050, 16-610-060, 16-610-065

Suspended:

Statutory authority for adoption: Chapters 16.57, 16.58, 16.65, and 34.05 RCW

Other authority : Chapter 34.05 RCW

PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 10-17-123 on August 18, 2010 (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:

WAC 16-610-018(1)(g) ~ Proposed change to include a bill of sale for cattle as a proof of ownership was not adopted.

WAC 16-610-140(8) ~ Proposed change to reinstate the \$50.000 application fee for special sales of youth livestock organizations was not adopted.

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting:

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Date adopted: October 7, 2010

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TITLE

Director

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**Note: If any category is left blank, it will be calculated as zero.
No descriptive text.**

**Count by whole WAC sections only, from the WAC number through the history note.
A section may be counted in more than one category.**

The number of sections adopted in order to comply with:

Federal statute:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Federal rules or standards:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	<u>3</u>	Repealed	_____

The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:

New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
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The number of sections adopted in the agency's own initiative:

New	_____	Amended	<u>1</u>	Repealed	_____
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The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	_____	Amended	<u>2</u>	Repealed	_____
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The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Pilot rule making:	New	_____	Amended	_____	Repealed	_____
Other alternative rule making:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	<u>6</u>	Repealed	_____